

## WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A fishing rod holder assembly for holding one or more fishing rods thereto,  
comprising:

a) a flush mounted rod holder mounted within a gunwale of a boat;

5 b) a fishing rod holder for holding a fishing rod therein;

c) a fishing rod holder support stanchion member including an  
anchoring post having a horizontal crossbar member connected thereto;

d) said horizontal crossbar member having a first opposing end and a  
second opposing end;

10 e) said first opposing end having a first vertical holding post connected  
thereto and said second opposing end having a second vertical holding post  
connected thereto for forming a goalpost configuration thereof;

f) said anchoring post being adaptably mounted within said flush  
mounted rod holder; and

15 g) at least one of said fishing rod holders for detachably receiving said  
first vertical holding post of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member and  
another one of said fishing rod holders for detachably receiving said second  
vertical holding post of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member for  
forming a fishing rod holder assembly thereof.

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2. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 1, wherein said anchoring post is connected on said horizontal crossbar member in a perpendicular relationship to said horizontal crossbar member.

5 3. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 1, wherein each of said first and second vertical holding posts can be perpendicularly angled from a vertical Y-axis position relative to said horizontal crossbar member having an angle alpha ( $\alpha$ ).

4. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 3, wherein said  
10 angle alpha ( $\alpha$ ) is in the range of 0° to 90° from the vertical Y-axis position.

5. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 1, wherein each of said first and second vertical holding posts can be angled from a vertical Z-axis position relative to said horizontal crossbar member having an angle beta ( $\beta$ ).

15 6. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 5, wherein said angle beta ( $\beta$ ) is in the range of 0° to 90° from the Z-axis position.

7. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 1, wherein said  
20 anchoring post having a proximal end and a distal end, said proximal end including a locking notched end.

8. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 1, wherein said horizontal crossbar member includes a third vertical holding post attached to an elongated horizontal crossbar member.

5 9. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 8, wherein said anchoring post is attached on said elongated horizontal crossbar member between said third vertical holding post and one of said opposing first or second vertical holding posts for forming a trident-shaped goalpost configuration.

10 10. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 8, wherein said elongated horizontal crossbar member includes a telescoping receiving end for receiving an L-shaped telescoping member thereto for forming an adjustable telescoping trident-shaped goalpost configuration.

15 11. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 10, wherein said L-shaped telescoping member includes an outer vertical holding post and a telescoping horizontal crossbar member having an opening therethrough.

20 12. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 11, wherein said telescoping horizontal crossbar member includes a turn-stop opening for receiving a turn-stop member therethrough.

13. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 10, wherein said telescopic receiving end includes a plurality of turn-stop crossbar openings for receiving said turn-stop member therethrough, such that said telescoping receiving end is slidably received within said opening of said telescoping horizontal crossbar member of said L-shaped telescoping member in order to adjust an appropriate length of said telescoping horizontal crossbar member when said turn-stop member is tightened within the adjacent said turn-stop opening and one of said turn-stop crossbar opening, respectively.

14. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 1, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is integrally connected to form a unitary constructed unit.

15. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 1, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made from materials being rust resistant that are selected from the group consisting of durable plastics, steel, stainless steel, aluminum and titanium.

16. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 1, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made of tubular construction.

17. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 16, wherein said tubular construction of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is formed by welding.

5 18. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 16, wherein said tubular construction of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is formed by tubular bending.

19. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 1, wherein said  
10 horizontal crossbar member includes three or more vertical holding posts connected thereto.

20. A fishing rod holder assembly for holding one or more fishing rods thereto, comprising:

15 a) a flush mounted rod holder mounted within a gunwale of a boat;

b) said flush mounted rod holder including a tubular body member having a holder opening therethrough; said tubular body member having a proximal end and a distal end; said proximal end including a safety gimbal pin attached thereto and said distal end including a mounting rim for attaching to the  
20 gunwale of the boat;

c) a fishing rod holder including a rod holder member having an outer wall surface and an inner wall surface for forming a fishing rod opening for receiving of a fishing rod handle of a fishing rod therethrough; said rod holder member having a proximal holder member end and a distal holder member end; said distal holder member end having a rod holding pin attached thereto; said rod holding pin for receiving a locking notch end of the fishing rod handle of the fishing rod; said fishing rod holder including a connecting arm having a first end and a second end; said first end of said connecting arm attached to a centrally located position on said outer wall surface of said rod holder member, said second end of said connecting arm attached to an adjustable holding clamp having a clamp opening;

d) a fishing rod holder support stanchion member having an anchoring post; said anchoring post having a proximal post end and a distal post end; said proximal post end of said anchoring post including a locking notched end for detachably connecting to said safety gimbal pin of said tubular body member of said flush mounted rod holder; said distal post end of said anchoring post including a horizontal crossbar member having a first opposing end and a second opposing end; said first opposing end having a first vertical holding post connected thereto and said second opposing end having a second vertical holding post connected thereto for forming a goalpost configuration thereof;

e) said clamp opening of said adjustable holding clamp of at least one of said fishing rod holders for detachably receiving said first vertical holding post therethrough; and said clamp opening of said adjustable holding clamp of another of said fishing rod holder for detachably receiving said second vertical holding post therethrough; and

f) said goalpost configuration of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member integrally connected to form a unitary constructed unit.

21. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 20, wherein said anchoring post is connected on said horizontal crossbar member in a perpendicular relationship to said horizontal crossbar member.

22. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 20, wherein each of said first and second vertical holding posts can be perpendicularly angled from a vertical Y-axis position relative to said horizontal crossbar member having an angle alpha ( $\alpha$ ).

23. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 22, wherein said angle alpha ( $\alpha$ ) is in the range of 0° to 90° from the vertical Y-axis position.

24. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 20, wherein each of said first and second vertical holding posts can be angled from a vertical Z-axis position relative to said horizontal crossbar member having an angle beta ( $\beta$ ).

5 25. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 24, wherein said angle beta ( $\beta$ ) is in the range of 0° to 90° from the Z-axis position.

26. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 20, wherein said anchoring post having a proximal end and a distal end, said proximal end including a  
10 locking notched end.

27. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 20, wherein said horizontal crossbar member includes a third vertical holding post attached to an elongated  
15 horizontal crossbar member.

28. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 27, wherein said anchoring post is attached on said elongated horizontal crossbar member between said third vertical holding post and one of said opposing first or second vertical holding posts for forming a trident-shaped goalpost configuration.

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29. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 27, wherein said elongated horizontal crossbar member includes a telescoping receiving end for receiving an L-shaped telescoping member thereto for forming an adjustable telescoping trident-shaped goalpost configuration.

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30. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 29, wherein said L-shaped telescoping member includes an outer vertical holding post and a telescoping horizontal crossbar member having an opening therethrough.

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31. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 29, wherein said telescoping horizontal crossbar member includes a turn-stop opening for receiving a turn-stop member therethrough.

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32. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 30, wherein said telescopic receiving end includes a plurality of turn-stop crossbar openings for receiving said turn-stop member therethrough, such that said telescoping receiving end is slidably received within said opening of said telescoping horizontal crossbar member of said L-shaped telescoping member in order to adjust an appropriate length of said telescoping horizontal crossbar member when said turn-stop member is tightened within the adjacent said turn-stop opening and one of said turn-stop crossbar opening, respectively.

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33. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 20, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made from materials being rust resistant that are selected from the group consisting of durable plastics, steel, stainless steel, aluminum and titanium.

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34. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 20, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made of tubular construction.

35. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 34, wherein said  
10 tubular construction of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is formed by welding.

36. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 34, wherein said  
15 tubular construction of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is formed by tubular bending.

37. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 20, wherein said horizontal crossbar member includes three or more vertical holding posts connected thereto.

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38. A fishing rod holder assembly for holding one or more fishing rods thereto, comprising:

- a) a flush mounted rod holder mounted within a gunwale of a boat;
- b) a fishing rod holder for holding a fishing rod therein;
- c) a modified fishing rod holder support stanchion member including an anchoring post having a pair of angled vertical holding posts connected at a distal end of said anchoring post of said modified fishing rod holder support stanchion member for forming a Y-shaped configuration;
- d) said anchoring post being adaptably mounted within said flush mounted rod holder; and
- e) at least one of said fishing rod holders for detachably receiving one of said angled vertical holding posts of said modified fishing rod holder support stanchion member and another one of said fishing rod holders for detachably receiving the other of said angled vertical holding posts of said modified fishing rod holder support stanchion member for forming a fishing rod holder assembly thereof.

39. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 38, wherein each of said angled vertical holding posts are angled from a vertical Y-axis position relative to said anchoring post having an angle gamma ( $\gamma$ ).

40. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 39, wherein said angle gamma ( $\gamma$ ) is in the range of 20° to 80° from the vertical Y-axis position.

41. A fishing rod holder assembly for holding one or more fishing rod thereto, comprising:

- a) a flush mounted rod holder mounted within a gunwale of a boat;
- b) a fishing rod holder for holding a fishing rod therein;
- 5 c) a fishing rod holder support stanchion member including an anchoring post having a horizontal crossbar member connected thereto;
- d) said horizontal crossbar member having a first opposing end and a second opposing end;
- e) said first opposing end having a first vertical holding post connected  
10 thereto and said second opposing end having a second vertical holding post connected thereto for forming a goalpost configuration thereof;
- f) said anchoring post being adaptably mounted within said flush mounted rod holder; and
- g) said fishing rod holder including a connecting arm for permanently  
15 attaching to each of said first and second vertical holding posts of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member for forming a fishing rod holder assembly thereof.

42. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 41, wherein said  
20 anchoring post is connected on said horizontal crossbar member in a perpendicular relationship to said horizontal crossbar member.

43. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 41, wherein each of said first and second vertical holding posts can be perpendicularly angled from a vertical Y-axis position relative to said horizontal crossbar member having an angle alpha ( $\alpha$ ).

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44. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 43, wherein said angle alpha ( $\alpha$ ) is in the range of 0° to 90° from the vertical Y-axis position.

45. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 41, wherein each  
10 of said first and second vertical holding posts can be angled from a vertical Z-axis position relative to said horizontal crossbar member having an angle beta ( $\beta$ ).

46. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 45, wherein said angle beta ( $\beta$ ) is in the range of 0° to 90° from the Z-axis position.

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47. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 41, wherein said anchoring post having a proximal end and a distal end, said proximal end including a locking notched end.

20 48. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 41, wherein said horizontal crossbar member includes a third vertical holding post attached to an elongated horizontal crossbar member.

49. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 48, wherein said anchoring post is attached on said elongated horizontal crossbar member between said third vertical holding post and one of said opposing first or second vertical holding posts for forming a trident-shaped goalpost configuration.

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50. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 48, wherein said elongated horizontal crossbar member includes a telescoping receiving end for receiving an L-shaped telescoping member thereto for forming an adjustable telescoping trident-shaped goalpost configuration.

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51. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 50, wherein said L-shaped telescoping member includes an outer vertical holding post and a telescoping horizontal crossbar member having an opening therethrough.

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52. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 51, wherein said telescoping horizontal crossbar member includes a turn-stop opening for receiving a turn-stop member therethrough.

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53. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 50, wherein said telescopic receiving end includes a plurality of turn-stop crossbar openings for receiving said turn-stop member therethrough, such that said telescoping receiving end is slidably received within said opening of said telescoping horizontal crossbar member of said L-shaped telescoping member in order to adjust an appropriate length of said telescoping horizontal crossbar member when said turn-stop member is tightened within the adjacent said turn-stop opening and one of said turn-stop crossbar opening, respectively.

54. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 41, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is integrally connected to form a unitary constructed unit.

55. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 41, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made from materials being rust resistant that are selected from the group consisting of durable plastics, steel, stainless steel, aluminum and titanium.

56. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 41, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made of tubular construction.

57. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 56, wherein said tubular construction of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is formed by welding.

5 58. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 56, wherein said tubular construction of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is formed by tubular bending.

59. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 41, wherein said  
10 horizontal crossbar member includes three or more vertical holding posts connected thereto.

60. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member for holding multiple fishing rod holders in combination with a boat mounted rod holder, comprising:

15 a) a fishing rod holder support stanchion member including an anchoring post having a horizontal crossbar member connected thereto;

b) said horizontal crossbar member having a first opposing end and a second opposing end; and

c) said first opposing end having a first vertical holding post connected  
20 thereto and said second opposing end having a second vertical holding post connected thereto for forming a goalpost configuration thereof.



61. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 60, wherein said anchoring post is connected on said horizontal crossbar member in a perpendicular relationship to said horizontal crossbar member.

5 62. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 1, wherein each of said first and second vertical holding posts can be perpendicularly angled from a vertical Y-axis position relative to said horizontal crossbar member having an angle alpha ( $\alpha$ ).

10 63. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 62, wherein said angle alpha ( $\alpha$ ) is in the range of 0° to 90° from the vertical Y-axis position.

15 64. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 60, wherein each of said first and second vertical holding posts can be angled from a vertical Z-axis position relative to said horizontal crossbar member having an angle beta ( $\beta$ ).

20 65. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 64, wherein said angle beta ( $\beta$ ) is in the range of 0° to 90° from the Z-axis position.

66. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 60, wherein said anchoring post having a proximal end and a distal end, said proximal end including a locking notched end.

5 67. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 60, wherein said horizontal crossbar member includes a third vertical holding post attached to an elongated horizontal crossbar member.

68. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim  
10 67, wherein said anchoring post is attached on said elongated horizontal crossbar member between said third vertical holding post and one of said opposing first or second vertical holding posts for forming a trident-shaped goalpost configuration.

69. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim  
15 67, wherein said elongated horizontal crossbar member includes a telescoping receiving end for receiving an L-shaped telescoping member thereto for forming an adjustable telescoping trident-shaped goalpost configuration.

70. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim  
20 69, wherein said L-shaped telescoping member includes an outer vertical holding post and a telescoping horizontal crossbar member having an opening therethrough.

71. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 70, wherein said telescoping horizontal crossbar member includes a turn-stop opening for receiving a turn-stop member therethrough.

5 72. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 70, wherein said telescopic receiving end includes a plurality of turn-stop crossbar openings for receiving said turn-stop member therethrough, such that said telescoping receiving end is slidably received within said opening of said telescoping horizontal crossbar member of said L-shaped telescoping member in order to adjust an appropriate  
10 length of said telescoping horizontal crossbar member when said turn-stop member is tightened within the adjacent said turn-stop opening and one of said turn-stop crossbar opening, respectively.

73. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim  
15 60, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is integrally connected to form a unitary constructed unit.

74. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 60, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made from materials  
20 being rust resistant that are selected from the group consisting of durable plastics, steel, stainless steel, aluminum and titanium.

75. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 60, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made of tubular construction.

5 76. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 75, wherein said tubular construction of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is formed by welding.

77. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 10 75, wherein said tubular construction of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is formed by tubular bending.

78. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 60, wherein said horizontal crossbar member includes three or more vertical holding 15 posts connected thereto.

79. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 60, wherein said anchoring post is detachably mounted within a clamp-type mounted rod holder on a rail of a boat or a flush-mounted rod holder on a gunwale of a boat.

20 80. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member for holding a pair of fishing rod holders in combination with a boat mounted rod holder, comprising:

a) a modified fishing rod holder support stanchion member including an anchoring posts having a pair of angled vertical holding posts connected at a distal end of said anchoring post of said modified fishing rod holder support stanchion member for forming a Y-shaped configuration;

5           b) said anchoring post being detachably mounted within a boat mounted rod holder; and

c) at least one fishing rod holder for detachably receiving one of said angled vertical holding posts of said modified fishing rod holder support stanchion member and another fishing rod holder for detachably receiving the  
10           other of said angled vertical holding posts of said modified fishing rod holder support stanchion member in order to form an integrated fishing rod holder assembly thereof.

81. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim  
15   80, wherein each of said angled vertical holding posts are angled from a vertical Y-axis position relative to said anchoring post having an angle gamma ( $\gamma$ ).

82. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim  
81, wherein said angle gamma ( $\gamma$ ) is in the range of 20° to 80° from the vertical Y-axis  
20   position.

83. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 80, wherein said anchoring post is detachably mounted within a clamp-type mounted rod holder on a rail of a boat or a flush mounted rod holder on a gunwale of a boat.

5 84. A fishing rod holder assembly for holding one or more fishing rods thereto, comprising:

a) a flush mounted rod holder mounted within a gunwale of a boat;  
b) a fishing rod holder for holding a fishing rod therein;  
c) a rotatable fishing rod holder support stanchion member including a  
10 U-shaped holding post member having a horizontal crossbar member with first and second opposing ends;

d) each of said first and second opposing ends including a connected first and second vertical holding post, respectively, thereon;

e) said horizontal crossbar member including a centrally located  
15 crossbar splined section being circumferentially machined on an outer wall surface of said horizontal crossbar member of said U-shaped holding post member;

f) said rotatable fishing rod holder support stanchion member further including an adjustable locking block member having an upper locking block section and a lower locking block section with a bottom wall surface;

20 g) said upper and lower locking block sections of said adjustable locking block member detachably and rotatably engage said centrally located crossbar splined section;

h) said upper and lower locking block sections of said adjustable locking block member are joined together by attaching means for connecting and forming said upper and lower locking block sections around said centrally located crossbar splined sections;

5 i) said rotatable fishing rod holder support stanchion member also including an anchoring post having a proximal end and a distal end thereto;

j) said proximal end of said anchoring post having a locking notched end for engaging a safety gimbal pin within said flush mounted rod holder; and said distal end of said anchoring post being connected to said bottom wall surface  
10 of said lower locking block section of said adjustable locking block member;

k) said joined adjustable locking block member on said U-shaped holding post member and said anchoring post are assembled together to form a goalpost configuration; and

l) at least one of said fishing rod holders for detachably receiving said  
15 first vertical holding post of said U-shaped holding post member and another one of said fishing rod holders for detachably receiving said second vertical holding post of said U-shaped holding post member for forming a fishing rod holder assembly thereof.

20 85. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 84, wherein each of said fishing rod holders can move independently in an upward or downward movement on each of said vertical holding posts of said U-shaped holding post member.

86. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 84, wherein said fishing rod holders can move independently in a clockwise or counterclockwise rotation on each of said vertical holding posts of said U-shaped holding post member.

5 87. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 84, wherein said U-shaped holding post member rotates in either a clockwise or counterclockwise rotation within said adjustable locking block member of said rotatable fishing rod holder support stanchion member.

10 88. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 84, wherein said U-shaped holding post member includes a unitary tubular body.

89. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 84, wherein said anchoring post having a proximal end and a distal end, said proximal end including a  
15 locking notched end.

90. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 84, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is connected together to form a unitary constructed unit.

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91. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 84, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made from materials being rust resistant that are selected from the group consisting of durable plastics, steel, stainless steel, aluminum and titanium.

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92. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 84, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made of tubular construction.

93. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 92, wherein said  
10 tubular construction of said U-shaped holding post member is formed by welding.

94. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 92, wherein said tubular construction of said U-shaped holding post member is formed by tubular bending.

15 95. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member for holding multiple fishing rod holders in combination with a boat mounted rod holder, comprising:

a) a rotatable fishing rod holder support stanchion member including a U-shaped holding post member having a horizontal crossbar member with first and second opposing ends;

20 b) each of said first and second opposing ends including a connected first and second vertical holding post, respectively, thereon;

c) said horizontal crossbar member including a centrally located crossbar splined section being circumferentially machined on an outer wall surface of said horizontal crossbar member of said U-shaped holding post member;

5 d) said rotatable fishing rod holder support stanchion member further including an adjustable locking block member having an upper locking block section and a lower locking block section with a bottom wall surface;

e) said upper and lower locking block sections of said adjustable locking block member detachably and rotatably engage said centrally located crossbar splined section;

10 f) said upper and lower locking block sections of said adjustable locking block member are joined together by attaching means for connecting and forming said upper and lower locking block sections around said centrally located crossbar splined sections;

15 g) said rotatable fishing rod holder support stanchion member also including an anchoring post having a proximal end and a distal end thereto;

h) said proximal end of said anchoring post having a locking notched end for engaging a safety gimbal pin within said flush mounted rod holder; and said distal end of said anchoring post being connected to said bottom wall surface of said lower locking block section of said adjustable locking block member;

20 i) said joined adjustable locking block member on said U-shaped holding post member and said anchoring post are assembled together to form a goalpost configuration; and

j) at least one of said fishing rod holders for detachably receiving said first vertical holding post of said U-shaped holding post member and another one of said fishing rod holders for detachably receiving said second vertical holding post of said U-shaped holding post member for forming a fishing rod holder assembly thereof.

96. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 95, further including at least one fishing rod holder which can move independently in an upward or downward movement on each of said vertical holding posts of said U-shaped holding post member.

97. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 96, wherein said at least one fishing rod holders can move independently in a clockwise or counterclockwise rotation on each of said vertical holding posts of said U-shaped holding post member.

98. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 95, wherein said U-shaped holding post member rotates in either a clockwise or counterclockwise rotation within said adjustable locking block member of said rotatable fishing rod holder support stanchion member.

99. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 95, wherein said U-shaped holding post member includes a unitary tubular body.

100. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 95, wherein said anchoring post having a proximal end and a distal end, said proximal end including a locking notched end.

101. A fishing rod support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 95, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is connected together to form a unitary constructed unit.

102. A fishing rod support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 95, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made from materials being rust resistant that are selected from the group consisting of durable plastics, steel, stainless steel, aluminum and titanium.

103. A fishing rod support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 95, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made of tubular construction.

104. A fishing rod support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 103, wherein said tubular construction of said U-shaped holding post member is formed by welding.

5        105. A fishing rod support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 103, wherein said tubular metal construction of said U-shaped holding post member is formed by tubular bending.

106. A fishing rod holder assembly for holding one or more fishing rods thereto,  
10 comprising:

a) a flush mounted rod holder mounted within a gunwale of a boat;  
b) a fishing rod holder for holding a fishing rod therein;  
c) a rotatable fishing rod holder support stanchion member including a pair of L-shaped holding post members each having a horizontal crossbar and each  
15 having a connected vertical holding post, respectively, thereto;

d) each of said horizontal crossbar members include an inner end having a crossbar splined section, respectively, thereto; each of said crossbar splined sections are circumferentially machined on an outer wall surface on each of said inner ends of said horizontal crossbar members, respectively;

20        e) said rotatable fishing rod holder support stanchion member further including an adjustable locking block member having an upper locking block section and a lower locking block section with a bottom wall surface;

f) said upper and lower locking block sections of said adjustable locking block member detachably and rotatably engage each of said crossbar splined sections of said inner ends of said horizontal crossbar members on each of said L-shaped holding post members, respectively; wherein each of said L-shaped holding post members rotate independently from each other within said adjustable locking block member;

g) said upper and lower locking block sections of said adjustable locking block member are joined together by attaching means for connecting and joining said upper and lower locking block sections around each of said crossbar splined sections of said horizontal crossbar members on each of said L-shaped holding post members, respectively;

h) said rotatable fishing rod holder support stanchion member also including an anchoring post having a proximal end and a distal end thereto;

i) said proximal end of said anchoring post having a locking notched end for engaging a safety gimbal pin within said flush mounted rod holder; and said distal end of said anchoring post being connected to said bottom wall surface of said lower locking block section of said adjustable locking block member;

j) said joined adjustable locking block member on each of said L-shaped holding post members and said anchoring post are assembled together to form a goalpost configuration; and

k) at least one of said fishing rod holders for detachably receiving one of said vertical holding posts on one of said L-shaped holding post members of said rotatable fishing rod holder support stanchion member and another one of said fishing rod holders for detachably receiving the other one of said vertical holding posts on the other of said L-shaped holding post members of said rotatable fishing rod holding support stanchion member for forming a fishing rod holder assembly thereof.

107. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 106, wherein each of said fishing rod holders can move independently in an upward or downward movement on each of said vertical holding posts of each of said L-shaped holding post member.

108. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 106, wherein each of said fishing rod holders can move independently in a clockwise or counterclockwise rotation on each of said vertical holding posts of each of said L-shaped holding post members.

109. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 106, wherein each of said L-shaped holding post member rotates in either a clockwise or counterclockwise rotation within said adjustable locking block member of said rotatable fishing rod holder support stanchion member.

110. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 106, wherein each of said L-shaped holding post members include a unitary tubular body.

111. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 106, wherein said  
5 anchoring post having a proximal end and a distal end, said proximal end including a locking notched end.

112. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 106, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is connected together to form a unitary  
10 constructed unit.

113. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 106, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made from materials being rust resistant that are selected from the group consisting of durable plastics, steel, stainless steel,  
15 aluminum and titanium.

114. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 106, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made of tubular construction.

20 115. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 114, wherein said tubular construction of said L-shaped holding post member is formed by welding.



116. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 114, wherein said tubular construction of said L-shaped holding post member is formed by tubular bending.

117. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member for holding multiple fishing  
5 rod holders in combination with a boat mounted rod holder, comprising:

a) a rotatable fishing rod holder support stanchion member including a pair of L-shaped holding post members each having a horizontal crossbar and each having a connected vertical holding post, respectively, thereto;

10 b) each of said horizontal crossbar members include an inner end having a crossbar splined section, respectively, thereto; each of said crossbar splined sections are circumferentially machined on an outer wall surface on each of said inner ends of said horizontal crossbar members, respectively;

15 c) said rotatable fishing rod holder support stanchion member further including an adjustable locking block member having an upper locking block section and a lower locking block section with a bottom wall surface;

20 d) said upper and lower locking block sections of said adjustable locking block member detachably and rotatably engage each of said crossbar splined sections of said inner ends of said horizontal crossbar members on each of said L-shaped holding post members, respectively; wherein each of said L-shaped holding post members rotate independently from each other within said adjustable locking block member;

e) said upper and lower locking block sections of said adjustable locking block member are joined together by attaching means for connecting and joining said upper and lower locking block sections around each of said crossbar splined sections of said horizontal crossbar members on each of said L-shaped holding post members, respectively;

f) said rotatable fishing rod holder support stanchion member also including an anchoring post having a proximal end and a distal end thereto;

g) said proximal end of said anchoring post having a locking notched end for engaging a safety gimbal pin within said flush mounted rod holder; and said distal end of said anchoring post being connected to said bottom wall surface of said lower locking block section of said adjustable locking block member;

h) said joined adjustable locking block member on each of said L-shaped holding post members and said anchoring post are assembled together to form a goalpost configuration; and

i) at least one of said fishing rod holders for detachably receiving one of said vertical holding posts on one of said L-shaped holding post members of said rotatable fishing rod holder support stanchion member and another one of said fishing rod holders for detachably receiving the other one of said vertical holding posts on the other of said L-shaped holding post members of said rotatable fishing rod holding support stanchion member for forming a fishing rod holder assembly thereof.

118. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 117, further including at least one fishing rod holder which can move independently in an upward or downward movement on each of said vertical holding posts of each of said L-shaped holding post member.

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119. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 118, wherein said at least one fishing rod holder can move independently in a clockwise or counterclockwise rotation on each of said vertical holding posts of each of said L-shaped holding post member.

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120. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 117, wherein each of said L-shaped holding post member rotates in either a clockwise or counterclockwise rotation within said adjustable locking block member of said rotatable fishing rod holder support stanchion member.

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121. A fishing rod support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 117, wherein each of said L-shaped holding post members includes a unitary tubular body.

122. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 117, wherein said anchoring post having a proximal end and a distal end, said proximal end including a locking notched end.

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123. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 117, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is connected together to form a unitary constructed unit.

5        124. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 117, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made from materials being rust resistant that are selected from the group consisting of durable plastics, steel, stainless steel, aluminum and titanium.

10       125. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 117, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made of tubular construction.

15       126. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 125, wherein said tubular construction of said L-shaped holding post member is formed by welding.

20       127. A fishing rod holder support stanchion member in accordance with Claim 125, wherein said tubular construction of said L-shaped holding post member is formed by tubular bending.

128. A fishing rod holder assembly for holding one or more fishing rods thereto,  
comprising:

- a) a flush mounted rod holder mounted within a gunwale of a boat;
- b) a fishing rod holder for holding a fishing rod therein;
- 5 c) a fishing rod holder support stanchion member including an  
anchoring post having a horizontal crossbar member connected thereto;
- d) said horizontal crossbar member having a first opposing end and a  
second opposing end;
- e) said first opposing end having a first vertical holding post connected  
10 thereto and said second opposing end having a second vertical holding post  
connected thereto for forming a goalpost configuration thereof;
- f) said anchoring post being adaptably mounted within said flush  
mounted rod holder; and
- g) at least one of said fishing rod holders being integrally attached to a  
15 first centrally located position on said first vertical holding post of said fishing rod  
holder support stanchion member and another one of said fishing rod holders  
being integrally attached to a second centrally located position on said second  
vertical holding post of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member for  
forming a fishing rod holder assembly thereof.

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129. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 128, wherein said anchoring post is connected on said horizontal crossbar member in a perpendicular relationship to said horizontal crossbar member.

5           130. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 128, wherein said anchoring post having a proximal end and a distal end, said proximal end including a locking notched end.

131. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 128, wherein said  
10 fishing rod holder assembly is integrally connected to form a unitary constructed unit.

132. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 128, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made from materials being rust resistant that are selected from the group consisting of durable plastics, steel, stainless steel,  
15 aluminum and titanium.

133. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 128, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made of tubular construction.

20           134. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 133, wherein said tubular construction of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is formed by welding.

135. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 133, wherein said tubular construction of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is formed by tubular bending.

5           136. A fishing rod holder assembly for holding one or more fishing rods thereto, comprising:

- a) a flush mounted rod holder mounted within a gunwale of a boat;
- b) an adjustable fishing rod holder for holding a fishing rod therein;
- c) a fishing rod holder support stanchion member including an
- 10           anchoring post having a horizontal crossbar member connected thereto;
- d) said horizontal crossbar member having a first opposing end and a second opposing end;
- e) said first opposing end having a first vertical holding post connected thereto and said second opposing end having a second vertical holding post
- 15           connected thereto for forming a goalpost configuration thereof;
- f) said anchoring post being adaptably mounted within said flush mounted rod holder; and
- g) at least one of said adjustable fishing rod holders for detachably receiving said first vertical holding post of said fishing rod holder support
- 20           stanchion member and another one of said adjustable fishing rod holders for detachably receiving said second vertical holding post of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member for forming a fishing rod holder assembly thereof.

137. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 136, wherein each of said adjustable fishing rod holders is rotatable about said first and second vertical holding posts in either a clockwise or counterclockwise rotation.

5 138. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 137, wherein each of said adjustable fishing rod holders is independently rotatable in opposite directions about said first and second vertical holding posts.

139. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 136, wherein each  
10 of said adjustable fishing rod holders is independently movable in an upward or downward movement on said first and second vertical holding posts.

140. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 136, wherein each of said adjustable fishing rod holders includes a retaining collar assembly for allowing  
15 angular movement of each of said adjustable fishing rod holders relative to said first and second vertical holding posts.

141. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 140, wherein said angular movement of said adjustable fishing rod holder is in the range of 20° to 90°  
20 relative to said first and second vertical holding posts.



142. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 140, wherein each of said retaining collar assemblies includes an upper movable sleeve collar, a center movable sleeve collar, and a lower movable sleeve collar.

5 143. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 136, wherein each of said adjustable rod holders include a connecting arm having a first end and a second end.

10 144. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 143, wherein said first end of said connecting arm is integrally attached to a centrally located position on an outer wall surface of said adjustable rod holder.

15 145. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 143, wherein said second end of said connecting arm is connected to said center movable sleeve of said retaining assembly.

20 146. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 142, wherein each of said upper movable sleeve collar includes a movable pin joint flexing arm for adjusting each of said adjustable rod holders relative to each of said first and second vertical holding posts.

147. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 136, wherein each of said first and second vertical holding posts include a distal end having thread ends for receiving a threaded end retaining cap thereon in order to prevent the slidably removing of each of said retaining collar assemblies from each of said first and second vertical  
5 holding posts.

148. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 142, wherein each of said center movable sleeve collars includes a plurality of first interlocking ratchet teeth thereon.

149. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 142, wherein each of said lower movable sleeve collars includes a plurality of second interlocking ratchet teeth thereon.

150. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 149, wherein each of said first and second interlocking ratchet teeth are joined together to prevent movement of said center and lower movable sleeve collars in fixing a predetermined position of said adjustable fishing rod holders relative to each of said first and second vertical holding posts.

151. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 136, wherein said anchoring post is connected on said horizontal crossbar member in a perpendicular relationship to said horizontal crossbar member.

5        152. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 151, wherein said anchoring post having a proximal end and a distal end, said proximal end including a locking notched end.

153. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 136, wherein said  
10 fishing rod holder support stanchion member is integrally connected to form a unitary constructed unit.

154. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 136, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made from materials being rust resistant  
15 that are selected from the group consisting of durable plastics, steel, stainless steel, aluminum and titanium.

155. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 136, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made of tubular construction.

156. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 155, wherein said tubular construction of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is formed by welding.

5 157. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 155, wherein said tubular construction of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is formed by tubular bending.

158. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 136, wherein said  
10 horizontal crossbar member includes three or more vertical holding posts connected thereto.

159. A fishing rod holder assembly for holding one or more fishing rods thereto, comprising:

- 15 a) a flush mounted rod holder mounted within a gunwale of a boat;
- b) a fishing rod holder for holding a fishing rod therein;
- c) a fishing rod holder support stanchion member including an  
anchoring post having a flat horizontal crossbar member connected thereto;
- d) said flat horizontal crossbar member having a first opposing end and  
20 a second opposing end;

e) said first opposing end having a first rotatable vertical holding post connected thereto and said second opposing end having a second rotatable vertical holding post connected thereto for forming a goalpost configuration thereof;

f) said first rotatable vertical holding post includes a first ratchet locking assembly and said second rotatable vertical holding post includes a second ratchet locking assembly;

g) said first ratchet locking assembly detachably connected to said first opposing end of said flat horizontal crossbar member and said second ratchet locking assembly detachably connected to said second opposing end of said flat horizontal crossbar member for allowing the clockwise or counterclockwise rotation of each of said first and second rotatable vertical holding posts on said fishing rod holder support stanchion member;

h) said anchoring post being adaptably mounted within said flush mounted rod holder; and

i) at least one of said fishing rod holders is fixedly attached to a centrally located position on said first rotatable vertical holding post of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member and another one of said fishing rod holders is fixedly attached to a centrally located position on said second rotatable vertical holding post of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member for forming a fishing rod holder assembly thereof.

160. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 159, wherein said anchoring post is connected on said flat horizontal crossbar member in a perpendicular relationship to said flat horizontal crossbar member.

5        161. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 159, wherein each of said fishing rod holders is rotatably movable on said first and second rotatable vertical holding posts in either a clockwise or counterclockwise rotation.

162. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 161, wherein each  
10 of said fishing rod holders is independently rotatable in opposite directions on said first and second rotatable vertical holding posts.

163. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 159, wherein each  
of said rotatable vertical holding posts includes an outer wall surface and having a  
15 proximal end and a distal end thereof.

164. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 159, wherein each  
of said first and second ratchet locking assemblies includes an upper ratchet locking  
collar having an upper collar opening and a lower ratchet locking collar having a lower  
20 collar opening.

165. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 164, wherein said upper ratchet locking collar includes a lower circumferential perimeter edging having a plurality of upper interlocking ratchet teeth thereon.

5        166. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 164, wherein said upper ratchet locking collar is fixedly attached by welding to said outer wall surface at each of said proximal ends of said rotatable vertical holding posts.

10        167. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 163, wherein each of said proximal ends of said rotatable vertical holding posts includes an integrally attached end cap member having a centrally located opening therethrough; said centrally located opening having an integrally attached locking nut thereon for receiving an adjustment bolt therethrough.

15        168. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 164, wherein said lower ratchet locking collar includes an upper circumferential perimeter edging having a plurality of lower interlocking ratchet teeth thereon.

20        169. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 164, wherein said lower ratchet locking collar is fixedly attached by welding to each of said first and second opposing ends of said flat horizontal crossbar member.

170. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 167, wherein each of said first and second opposing ends of said flat horizontal crossbar member includes a bolt opening for receiving said adjustment bolt therethrough.

5        171. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 170, wherein said locking nut of said centrally located opening is adjacently aligned with said bolt opening for receiving said adjustment bolt through said bolt opening and said centrally located opening of said locking nut therethrough in order to engage and lock said upper interlocking ratchet teeth with said lower interlocking ratchet teeth in which to lock each  
10 of said first and second ratchet locking assemblies on said first and second opposing ends, respectively, on said flat horizontal crossbar member.

172. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 171, wherein said upper and lower interlocking ratchet teeth are shaped to include squared ratchet teeth,  
15 saw-tooth ratchet teeth, sinoidal-shaped ratchet teeth and non-skid contact surfaces.

173. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 159, wherein said flat horizontal crossbar member includes three or more of said rotatable vertical holding posts, being connected thereto.



174. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 159, wherein said anchoring post having a proximal end and a distal end, said proximal end including a locking notched end.

5 175. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 159, wherein said fishing rod holder assembly is integrally connected to form a unitary constructed unit.

176. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 159, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made from materials being rust resistant  
10 that are selected from the group consisting of durable plastics, steel, stainless steel, aluminum and titanium.

177. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 159, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made of tubular and flat bar construction.

15 178. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 177, wherein said tubular and flat bar construction of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is formed by welding.

20 179. A fishing rod holder assembly for holding one or more fishing rods thereto, comprising:

a) a flush mounted rod holder mounted within a gunwale of a boat;

b) a multiple angle fishing rod holder that allows a fishing rod to be angled by a user for an appropriate trolling and holding angle therein;

c) a fishing rod holder support stanchion member including an anchoring post having a flat horizontal crossbar member connected thereto;

5 d) said flat horizontal crossbar member having a first opposing end and a second opposing end;

e) said anchoring post being adaptably mounted within said flush mounted rod holder;

f) said first opposing end having a first rotatable ratchet locking  
10 assembly connected thereto and said second opposing end having a second rotatable ratchet locking assembly connected thereto for forming a goalpost configuration thereof; and

g) said first rotatable ratchet locking assembly detachably connected to one of said multiple angle fishing rod holders and said second rotatable ratchet  
15 locking assembly connected to the other of said multiple angle fishing rod holder on said fishing rod holder support stanchion member for forming a fishing rod holder assembly thereof.

180. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 179, wherein said  
20 anchoring post is connected on said flat horizontal crossbar member in a perpendicular relationship to said horizontal crossbar member.

181. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 179, wherein each of said multiple angle fishing rod holders is rotatably movable on said first and second rotatable ratchet locking assemblies in either a clockwise or counterclockwise rotation.

5        182. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 181, wherein each of said multiple angle fishing rod holders is independently rotatable in opposite directions on said first and second rotatable ratchet locking assemblies.

10       183. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 179, wherein each of said multiple angle fishing rod holders includes a housing member being substantially L-shaped in configuration.

15       184. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 183, wherein said housing member includes an upper compartment section being integrally connected to a vertical holding stanchion member having a proximal end thereto.

20       185. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 184, wherein said upper compartment section includes a plurality of interior holding compartments having a substantially rectangular-shaped openings therethrough for the angled positioning of the fishing rod handle of the fishing rod.

186. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 184, wherein said upper compartment section includes a plurality of interior holding compartments having substantially ellipsoidal/circular-shaped openings therethrough for the angled positioning of the fishing rod handle of the fishing rod.

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187. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 185, wherein said rectangularly-shaped interior holding compartments include a first interior holding compartment having a 90° alignment thereto, a second interior holding compartment having a 60° alignment thereto, a third interior holding compartment having a 45°  
10 alignment thereto and a fourth interior holding compartment having a 30° alignment thereto for the angled positioning of the fishing rod handle of the fishing rod within each of said rectangularly-shaped interior holding compartments therein.

188. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 186, wherein said  
15 ellipsoidal/circular-shaped interior holding compartments include a first interior holding compartment having a 90° alignment thereto, a second interior holding compartment having a 60° alignment thereto, a third interior holding compartment having a 45° alignment thereto, and a fourth interior holding compartment having a 30° alignment thereto for the angled positioning of the fishing rod handle of the fishing rod within each  
20 of said ellipsoidal/circular-shaped interior holding compartments therein.

189. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 184, wherein said proximal end of said vertical holding stanchion member includes first and second locking pin openings for receiving a removable holding and locking pin therethrough.

5 190. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 189, wherein said removable holding and locking pin is used to detachably receive the handle locking notch of the fishing rod in which to anchor the fishing rod handle within one of said rectangularly-shaped or ellipsoidal/circular-shaped interior holding compartments of said upper compartment section.

10 191. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 179, wherein each of said first and second rotatable ratchet locking assemblies includes an upper ratchet locking collar having an upper collar opening and a lower ratchet locking collar having a lower collar opening.

15 192. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 191, wherein said upper ratchet locking collar includes a lower circumferential perimeter edging having a plurality of upper interlocking ratchet teeth thereon.

20 193. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 191, wherein said upper ratchet locking collar is fixedly attached by welding to said proximal end of said vertical holding stanchion member of said multiple angle fishing rod holder.

194. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 184, wherein each of said proximal ends of said vertical holding stanchion members includes an integrally attached end cap member having a centrally located opening therethrough; said centrally located opening having an integrally attached locking nut thereon for receiving an adjustment bolt therethrough.

195. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 191, wherein said lower ratchet locking collar includes and upper circumferential perimeter edging having a plurality of lower interlocking ratchet teeth thereon.

196. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 191, wherein said lower ratchet locking collar is fixedly attached by welding to each of said first and second opposing ends of said flat horizontal crossbar member.

197. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 194, wherein each of said first and second opposing ends of said flat horizontal crossbar member includes a bolt opening for receiving said adjustment bolt therethrough.

198. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 197, wherein said locking nut of said centrally located opening is adjacently aligned with said bolt opening for receiving said adjustment bolt through said bolt opening and said centrally located opening of said locking nut therethrough in order to engage and lock said upper  
5 interlocking ratchet teeth with said lower interlocking ratchet teeth in which to lock each of said first and second ratchet locking assemblies on said first and second opposing ends, respectively, on said flat horizontal crossbar member.

199. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 198, wherein said  
10 upper and lower interlocking ratchet teeth are shaped to include square ratchet teeth, saw-tooth ratchet teeth, sinoidal-shaped ratchet teeth and non-skid contact surfaces.

200. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 179, wherein said flat horizontal crossbar member includes three or more of said rotatable ratchet locking  
15 assemblies being connected thereto.

201. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 179, wherein said anchoring post is connected on said horizontal crossbar member in a perpendicular relationship to said horizontal crossbar member.

202. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 179, wherein said anchoring post having a proximal end and a distal end, said proximal end including a locking notched end.

5        203. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 179, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is integrally connected to form a unitary constructed unit.

10       204. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 179, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made from materials being rust resistant that are selected from the group consisting of durable plastics, steel, stainless steel, aluminum and titanium.

15       205. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 179, wherein said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is made of tubular and flat bar construction.

206. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 205, wherein said tubular and flat bar construction of said fishing rod holder support stanchion member is formed by welding.

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207. A fishing rod holder assembly for holding one or more fishing rods thereto,  
comprising:

- a) a flush mounted rod holder mounted within a gunwale of a boat;
- b) a multiple angle fishing rod holder that allows a fishing rod handle  
5 of a fishing rod to be angled by a user for an appropriate trolling and holding angle  
therein;
- c) said multiple angle fishing rod holder includes a housing member  
being substantially L-shaped in configuration and said housing member includes  
an upper compartment section being integrally connected to a vertical holding  
10 stanchion member having a proximal end thereto;
- d) said proximal end of said vertical holding stanchion member is  
fixedly attached to a rotatable ratchet locking assembly;
- e) said rotatable ratchet locking assembly detachably connected to an  
anchoring post thereto;
- 15 f) said anchoring post being adaptably mounted within said flush  
mounted rod holder; and
- g) said rotatable ratchet locking assembly detachably connected to said  
multiple angle fishing rod holder for forming a fishing rod holder assembly  
thereof.

208. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 207, wherein said multiple angle fishing rod holder is rotatably movable on said ratchet locking assembly in either a clockwise or counterclockwise rotation.

5 209. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 207, wherein said multiple angle fishing rod holder is independently rotatable in opposite directions on said rotatable ratchet locking assembly.

10 210. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 207, wherein said multiple angle fishing rod holder includes a housing member being substantially L-shaped in configuration.

15 211. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 210, wherein said housing member includes an upper compartment section being integrally connected to a vertical holding stanchion member having a proximal end thereto.

20 212. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 211, wherein said upper compartment section includes a plurality of interior holding compartments having substantially rectangular-shaped openings therethrough for the angled positioning of the fishing rod handle of the fishing rod.

213. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 211, wherein said upper compartment section includes a plurality of interior holding compartments having substantially ellipsoidal/circular-shaped openings therethrough for the angled positioning of the fishing rod handle of the fishing rod.

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214. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 212, wherein said rectangularly-shaped interior holding compartments include a first interior holding compartment having a 90° alignment thereto, a second interior holding compartment having a 60° alignment thereto, a third interior holding compartment having a 45° alignment thereto and a fourth interior holding compartment having a 30° alignment thereto for the angled positioning of the fishing rod handle of the fishing rod within each of said rectangularly-shaped interior holding compartments therein.

215. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 213, wherein said ellipsoidal/circular-shaped interior holding compartments include a first interior holding compartment having a 90° alignment thereto, a second interior holding compartment having a 60° alignment thereto, a third interior holding compartment having a 45° alignment thereto, and a fourth interior holding compartment having a 30° alignment thereto for the angled positioning of the fishing rod handle of the fishing rod within each of said ellipsoidal/circular-shaped interior holding compartment therein.

216. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 211, wherein said proximal end of said vertical holding stanchion member includes first and second locking pin openings for receiving a removable holding and locking pin therethrough.

5 217. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 216, wherein said removable holding and locking pin is used to detachably receive the handle locking notch of the fishing rod in which to anchor the fishing rod handle within one of said rectangularly-shaped or ellipsoidal/circular-shaped interior holding compartments of said upper compartment section.

10 218. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 207, wherein said rotatable ratchet locking assembly includes an upper ratchet locking collar having an upper collar opening and a lower ratchet locking collar having a lower collar opening.

15 219. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 218, wherein said upper ratchet locking collar includes a lower circumferential perimeter edging having a plurality of upper interlocking ratchet teeth thereon.

20 220. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 211, wherein said proximal end of said vertical holding stanchion member includes an integrally attached stanchion end cap member having a centrally located end cap opening therethrough.

221. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 207, wherein said anchoring post includes a post distal end, a post proximal end and an outer wall surface thereto.

5           222. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 221, wherein said post distal end includes an integrally attached post end cap having a centrally located post opening therethrough; said centrally located post opening having an integrally attached locking nut thereon for receiving an adjustment bolt therethrough.

10           223. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 218, wherein said lower ratchet locking collar includes an upper circumferential perimeter edging having a plurality of lower interlocking ratchet teeth thereon.

            224. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 221, wherein said  
15 lower ratchet locking collar is fixedly attached by welding to said post distal end of said anchoring post.

225. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 222, wherein said locking nut of said centrally located post opening is adjacently aligned with said centrally located end cap opening of said stanchion end cap for receiving said adjustment bolt through said centrally located end cap opening and said locking nut of said centrally located post opening of said post end cap therethrough in order to engage and lock said upper interlocking ratchet teeth with said lower interlocking ratchet teeth of said rotatable ratchet locking assembly on said anchoring post.

226. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 225, wherein said upper and lower interlocking ratchet teeth are shaped to include square ratchet teeth, saw-tooth ratchet teeth, sinoidal-shaped ratchet teeth and non-skid contact surfaces.

227. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 221, wherein said post proximal end of said anchoring post includes a locking notch end.

228. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 221, wherein said post distal end of said anchoring post is skewed from an X-axis position having an angle epsilon ( $\epsilon$ ) in the range of 30° to 90° from said X-axis position.

229. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 207, wherein said fishing rod holder assembly is integrally connected to form a unitary constructed unit.

230. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 207, wherein said fishing rod holder assembly is made from materials being rust resistant that are selected from the group consisting of durable plastics, steel, stainless steel, aluminum and titanium.

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231. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 207, wherein said fishing rod holder assembly is made of tubular construction.

232. A fishing rod holder assembly in accordance with Claim 231, wherein said  
10 tubular construction of said fishing rod holder assembly is formed by welding.

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